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SUBJECT: EXPORT RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED BY ETHIOPIAN GOVERNMENT

REF: A) STATE 146681

B) ADDIS ABABA 7526 OF FEB. 6, 1974

1. DESCRIPTION OF GOE EXPORT RESTRICTIONS REPORTED REFTEL B STILL APPLICABLE.

2. GRAIN EXPORT BAN REPORTED REFTEL B REMAINS IN EFFECT. SPECIFICALLY, FOLLOWING CEREALS ARE PROHIBITED FROM EXPORT (ETHIOPIAN COMMODITY TRADE CLASSIFICATION NUMBER-BASED SITC CODE- IN PARENTHESES): WHEAT (041.100), MAIZE (044.100), AND DURRAH (045.920). RESTRICTION WAS IMPOSED APRIL 11, 1973 IN AN ATTEMPT TO REDUCE DOMESTIC SHORTAGE DUE TO RECENT DROUGHT.

3. SELECTED OILSEED EXPORTS HAVE BEEN BANNED SINCE MARCH 12, 1974 IN ORDER TO STABILIZE DOMESTIC PRICES OF VEGETABLE OILS IN ANTI-INFLATION PROGRAM. SPECIFICALLY LINSEED (221.500), NIGERSEED (221.820), AND RAPESEED (221.830) ARE RESTRICTIONS IS INDEFINITE. MEASURES WERE ENACTED BY RESOLUTIONS OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS.

5. ETHIOPIAN EXPORT TAXES AND SURTAXES AS REPORTED REFTEL B WERE UNCLASSIFIED

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INSTITUTED FOR DOMESTIC REVENUE PURPOSES.

6. THESE MEASURES HAVE NO SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS ON INTERNATIONAL
OR US TRADE WITH ETHIOPIA.
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